

CHURCH CLEANING ROSTER: AUGUST: ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

CRYING ROOM: Feel free to use this room during Mass. Kindly pack away toys at the end of Mass.

PIETY STALL: If you wish to buy religious articles, books or cards please contact Jenny Goodheart.

FIRST AID BOX: located inside the Crying Room at the entrance to the Church.

TOILET FACILITY: Situated at the back of the Parish house; nearest to school oval.

RCIA/RCIC: Anyone interested in learning about becoming a Catholic please contact Fr Gerome or Julie Poett.

Rosters will be subject to change in accordance with Government Advices.

WEEKDAY MASSES: Wed 11th August 11.00am; Thurs 12th August 9.00am, Fri 13th August 9.00am, Sat 14th August 9.00am

WEEKEND MASS TIMETABLE:

<u>SATURDAY</u>	<u>7th August</u>	<u>14th August</u>	<u>21st August</u>	
TAMBELLUP		6.00PM		SUN 29/8 8.30AM
BROOMEHILL	6.00PM			
<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>8th August</u>	<u>15th August</u>	<u>22nd August</u>	
KOJONUP	8.30AM	8.30AM	8.30AM	(SAT 28th August 6.00PM)
KATANNING	10.30AM	10.30AM	10.30AM	SUN 29/8 10.30AM

PARISH MINISTRIES: *If you are unable to attend on your rostered date please arrange for someone to replace you. Thank you!*

	<u>8th August</u>	<u>15th August</u>	<u>22nd August</u>	<u>29th August</u>
Greeter			CONFIRMATION	
Intro & Second Reader	A. Schiano	D. Bearcroft	School	D. Cavoli
First Reader	P. Kerin	J. Poett	School	A. Schiano
Minister of the Eucharist				
Offertory				
Acolyte	Sam	Alvarro	Angelo	Volunteer
Altar Servers	Nicholas & Luke	Volunteers	Sharie, Jack &	Dominic & Piper



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"Inspired by our Patron Saint and guided by the Gospel teachings of Jesus, St Patrick's Parish strives to welcome and serve one another"

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PARISH PRAYER: Please refer to the overhead screen

8th August 2021 - ST MARY OF THE CROSS (MacKILLOP), VIRGIN



Today we remember St Mary of the Cross MacKillop, Australia's first saint; for her dedication in caring for the human and spiritual needs of children, the poor and the destitute.

First Reading: First Book of Kings 17:8-16

And then the word of the Lord came to Elijah, 'Up and go to Zarephath, a Sidonian town, and stay there. I have ordered a widow there to give you food.' So he went off to Sidon. And when he reached the city gate, there was a widow gathering sticks; addressing her he said, 'Please bring me a little water in a vessel for me to drink.' She was setting off to bring it when he called after her. 'Please' he said 'bring me a scrap of bread in your hand.' 'As the Lord your God lives,' she replied 'I have no baked bread, but only a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug; I am just gathering a stick or two to go and prepare this for myself and my son to eat, and then we shall die.' But Elijah said to her, 'Do not be afraid, go and do as you have said; but first make a little scone of it for me and bring it to me, and then make some for yourself and for your son. For thus the Lord speaks, the God of Israel: "Jar of meal shall not be spent, jug of oil shall not be emptied, before the day when the Lord sends rain on the face of the earth. The woman went and did as Elijah told her and they ate the food, she, himself and her son. The jar of meal was not spent nor the jug of oil emptied, just as the Lord had foretold through Elijah.

The Word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm: *My soul clings to you; your right hand holds me fast.*

Second Reading: A reading from the second letter of St Paul to the Colossians 3:12-17

As the chosen of God, the holy people whom he loves, and you are to be clothed in heartfelt compassion, in generosity and humility, gentleness and patience. Bear with one another; forgive each other if one of you has a complaint against another. The Lord has forgiven you; now you must do the same. Over all these clothes, put on love, the perfect bond. And may the peace of Christ reign in your hearts, because it is for this that you were called together in one body. Always be thankful. Let the Word of Christ, in all its richness, find a home with you. Teach each other, and advise each other, in all wisdom. With gratitude in your hearts sing psalms and hymns and inspired songs to God; and whatever you say or do, let it be in the name of the Lord Jesus, in thanksgiving to God the Father through him.

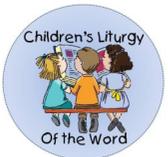
The Word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation: Alleluia, alleluia! I am the living bread from heaven, says the Lord; whoever eats this bread will live for ever. **Alleluia!**

Gospel: John 6:41-51

The Jews were complaining to each other about Jesus, because he had said, "I am the bread that came down from heaven." "Surely this is Jesus son of Joseph" they said. "We know his father and mother. How can he now say, "I have come down from heaven"? Jesus said in reply, "Stop complaining to each other. "No-one can come to me unless he is drawn by the Father who sent me, and I will raise him up at the last day. It is written in the prophets: They will all be taught by God, and to hear the teaching of the Father, and learn from it, is to come to me. Not that anybody has seen the Father, except the one who comes from God: he has seen the Father. I tell you most solemnly, everybody who believes has eternal life. I am the bread of life. Your fathers ate the manna in the desert and they are dead; but this is the bread that comes down from heaven, so that a man may eat it and not die. I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I shall give is my flesh, for the life of the world." **The Gospel of the Lord**

NEXT WEEK'S READINGS: **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** August 15th 2021: Book of the Apocalypse 11:19, 12:1-6, 10; First letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 15:20-26; Luke 1:39-56.



The next Children's Liturgy will be held on **Sunday 29th August**. All children welcome to join Mrs Poett to celebrate and reflect on the Sunday Gospel reading in an age appropriate way—and to form and build peer relationships within our parish community.



Prayerful condolences are with the family of Tim Trethowan of Kojonup who passed into eternal life last Wednesday. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon him, may he rest in peace, Amen.

PARISH NEWS

TRIDUUM NOVENA IN HONOUR OF THE ASSUMPTION OF MARY MOST HOLY TO THE HEAVENS

A Triduum Novena is a three day Mass and prayer offering in honour of the Assumption of Mary. The Triduum will be prayed after the 9.00am Masses on Thursday, 12 August, Friday, 13 August (School Mass), and Saturday, 14 August. The Feast of the Assumption of Mary will be celebrated next Sunday, 15 August. Please consider attending this devotion to honour our most Holy Mother Mary.



Fr Gerome reminds parishioners that he is available for Confession every Sunday after Mass, or by appointment.

All welcome to join in Recitation of the Holy Rosary every Sunday before Mass, commencing at 10.00am.

MORNING TEA after Mass next Sunday—come and join in wishing Fr Gerome a happy birthday! Please bring a plate to share if possible.

Let us continue to pray for the sick members of our families and also within our Parish especially: Nancy Laurino and Joan Clarke in Kerry Lodge, and in a special way Laline Ford and David McGuire; . Please keep them in your prayers.



NEW PARISHIONERS: welcome to our Parish! We pray you will find peace and comfort in our Parish and with our God. Please join us in fellowship and community events. Please complete the "Welcome to our Parish Form" from the front entrance of the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Thank you and God bless.

The ability to budget can only come about through the 'generous financial support of members of the Parish who make a pledge through the "Planned Giving Programme." Like all families, everyone's pledge is important and commitment to the financial well-being of St Patrick's Parish is **VITAL**. If you would like to join or know more about the programme please contact the Parish Office or Mr Peter Kerin.



COLLECTIONS	25th July	1st August
1 st Collection	\$ 263.50	\$ 276.75
2nd Collection	\$ 68.30	\$ 47.50
Planned Giving Envelopes	\$ 130.00	\$ 65.00
Planned Giving Direct Debit	\$ 302.00	\$ 302.00
Candles	--	\$ 28.80
Piety Stall	--	--